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### LOCAL JOTTINGS

The Standard is off on Thursday this week, instead of Saturday

Town Council estimates this year include a considerable sum for road improvement within the town limits. It is certainly badly needed.

Mr. J. A. Downie arrived back from B.C. this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Knight, accompanied by their son Ralph, arrived here yesterday from Pendleton, Oregon, on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Messrs. Will and Al Knight, who will be here for about a month.

Farmers should read the report of the Farmers' Union meeting in this issue, especially the points with regard to harvest help and grain shipping grievances.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Matthews, of Ottawa, Ontario, are guests of Mrs. Matthews' aunt, Mrs. C. W. Chase. They are intending to make their future home in the west.

There are quite a number of foreign residents of Pendleton, Oregon, farming in this neighborhood, and one of the chief points of attending the Stampede and seeing the famous Pendleton Cowboys Round-Up Band.

Mr. W. H. Fairchild, superintendent Leithbridge Experimental Farm, visited Strathmore on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Watts, of Pittsburgh, were here last weekend.

Many hard things have been said against the weather at the B.C. Coast, but folks arriving from there say that there has been nothing but glorious sunshine while they have been here. Our waterproofs and umbrellas almost every day of the past fortnight.

"A little sunshine now and then, would make us all feel good again."

In connection with the Stampede, it will be remembered that Strathmore was quite a cowby center up till this year. The cattle shipments are falling off now, however, and the cattle in the land is being absorbed by the farmers. Last year, and the year previous, shipments sometimes exceeded 100,000 head, but can never be less, and the millionaire Burns has been down himself supervising the loading on several occasions. There is no doubt that he is a good factor, and when he has business of that kind he usually dons the overalls and works as hard as any of them.

Miss Alma Mitchell, of Okotoks, has taken a position as assistant at Strathmore P.O., who left on Saturday for B.C. to take a position as school teacher.

H. C. fruit lands are advertised in this issue.

Do you own it? Want to sell it? Do you need it? Want to buy it? — W. G. McIninch, Auctioneer, Duff Block, etc.

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where does Cheadle come in? It is Mr. Lyon's post office address, and is nearest to his farm than Langdon, and is further from Langdon. If there is any credit going Cheadle should get it.

In the next issue of the Langdon Leader we may expect to see something like this: "The Strathmore Standard states that Calgary is 35 miles from Strathmore. This is true, but at the same time Langdon is much nearer, and is therefore entitled to the credit for its growth."

### Fire Walls Contract Awarded

#### SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING

A special meeting of Strathmore Town Council was held on Friday evening. There was a good attendance, and the presiding officer of the councilors present was Mr. Mayor Lambert.

The main business of the meeting was the awarding of the contract for the two firewalls to be constructed on the west side of Second Street for the fireproofing of the town hall. The tenders were submitted one from Frank Bond totalling \$3,943.00 and the other tender was from Baxter and the contractor selected the complete tender as it did not include the supplying of the bricks by the contractor, but for the bricks being supplied by the town. The specifications call for the contractor to supply all the material with the exception of the sand and gravel.

Both the contractors were present, but during the discussions on the contract referred from the Council Chairman.

A motion was passed unanimously after considerable discussion to have the contractor pay the tenders and include the cost of the bricks, giving them till 10 a.m. next day to do so.

After a short time, however, the tenders appeared and it was found that he who was not willing to tender on the job according to the specification had withdrawn.

This left Mr. Bond's tender the only one left in the field, and it was therefore accepted.

There was some discussion as to advertising for fresh tenders, but it was stated that the tenders had been advertised for a day or two in the Calgary newspapers, and also in the local newspapers, and re-advertising was not likely to bring any fresh tenders, and probably result in the same tenders, and the price tendered being higher than before.

Under the terms of the contract the job will be done by the contractor, but it is not stated that it will be done by him that is capable of supplying the sand and gravel in sufficient quantity for the work, which have been held up for a long time.

One of the firewalls will be situated on the lot belonging to Mr. Roland Burns, between Mr. E. Wright's store and the Old Hotel.

One of the firewalls will be situated on the lot belonging to Mr. Roland Burns, between Mr. E. Wright's store and the Old Hotel. The other will stand on the lot owned by Mr. L. E. Burns, between Mr. E. Wright's store and the Old Hotel. Between Mr. Thos. E. Wright's store and Mr. F. T. McIninch's will be 120 feet long by 14 feet high. Under the terms of the lease both proprietors will have the right to use the building for business purposes, and to let it to others for a sum to be agreed upon which they may erect. About 14,000 bricks will be used in the erection of these firewalls, and it is figured that the cost will be \$1,000 per brick.

The Galt Engineering Company will superintend the work.

#### PLANK SIDEWALKS

The plan for the construction of plank sidewalks in the rear of the town, and during the winter period, the Council voted to borrow \$10,000 for that purpose, was read a third time and passed. This bylaw has been in force for a number of years, and has been verified for some weeks, and not a single objection has been received against it. The Galt Engineering Company will superintend the construction of these sidewalks, and is assessed against the proprietors on the improvements. It will not affect the general borrowing powers of the town.

All the work at present being undertaken by the town comes under the heading of improvements, and is assessed against the proprietors on the improvements. It will not affect the general borrowing powers of the town.

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## The Red Streak

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(Continued.)

I understand, the latter said quietly.

Joan had looked remarkably at her mother, but did not like to make a tactless remark. Swayne came in with a teapot in his hand.

In the room, there were not much time, space, he said energetically.

It was a man who poured out the tea; and the memory of that half hour was still in Joan's mind many months later. Half an hour later he entered a taxi-cab, and a cool and breezy man drove him away.

The beat of his buck, Joan whispered.

Thank you, my little friend.

Thank you, Joan.

And Basil uttered a word of thanks to Sir James, and they started off for the station.

What a very quaint child, Swayne said.

She's a dear.

In those days there'll be a lovely woman.

I shall always think of her as my maid of honor. I wonder if she realises what a difference her friendliness has made to me in those days.

I like her very much. They are so true and so purely innocent.

She is a good girl, and I would like to give me courage when I needed it. It's wonderful that she should have been so good to me.

I think you'll be happy with her.

You're a good girl, and I like her friend.

She'd always be a pal to me, that's for sure.

And she's but a child.

A child, but a very good child, but Swayne said, and looked away.

In his heart he showed wrinkles.

In his head he showed ripples.

Basil had no time to think, but

Swayne heard, and swallowed.

Their conversation was resumed, and Basil had time to think.

The Assistant District Commissioner's office stood at Capo Castle. The man was a tall, thin, dark, bearded man, a travelling Commissioner in Southern Alberta, and he had been in touch with levies.

A third was a strong, a Colonial doctor who sold his "Little Hospital" and the fourth was Captain James Stevenson, a man of whom Basil had heard.

It was late when they reached Liverpool, but neither of them felt inclined to go to bed, so they sat up until a late hour, talking of the future.

If I can't make a living out of the writing, perhaps I'll come out and earn my living.

I believe so, if not, I stick it out,

but I'll be a good sport, and that's the best I can do.

Swayne's curiosity was satisfied.

It was late when they reached Liverpool, but neither of them felt inclined to go to bed, so they sat up until a late hour, talking of the future.

If I can't make a living out of the writing, perhaps I'll come out and earn my living.

I will succeed all right.

I believe so, if not, I stick it out,

but I'll be a good sport, and that's the best I can do.

Then they spoke of Basil's life in West Africa, and Swayne was interested, and his father's air was received with a smile.

More than a year ago the word "Basil" was the name of a man signifying a man who had failed either wim man, drink or income tax, and was a failure by the risking of his life. Then, point he had now there was a long list awaiting selection. And the shadow of death lay over him, but him better. True, caution conditions his life, but he is not afraid of the reasons of the speed of malarias has been discovered, but none the less the shadow of death lay over him, breaks of disease, when no careful protection of temperate living can fail to do.

With the eye of an author, Swayne saw the list, and he said, "I see

you're not much like my idea of the palm-oil ruffian, of which I have read. And then a stern-faced man said, "I'm not a failure, but the remark leaped along.

The warning bell rang, and Basil accompanied his friend to the sa-

was a last clasp of the hand, and Swayne's face became very grave. Basil's hand was cold, but his heart was not, and chagrin. I can't stand all these young females, and his voice took a little.

Who can wonder at parting from those they love, with the thought of the future?

A strong clasp of the hand, and Basil hastened to the smoking-room, taking a cigarette. And half an hour minutes later the thrash of the projector to open the door, and the steward came to open the door.

Four sun-cocktails, ordered one of the steward.

And then Basil heard his own name mentioned.

Among the telegrams in the saloon there's one addressed to Sir Basil. I wonder if he's the son of the man who—

He said, "Yes, Thorpe, break in quickly, if you like."

The speaker turned round, but was not much surprised.

Then you have heard there's a wire for you?

Yes, you, Basil said quietly.

Won't you have a "swirlie"?

I must get my telegram, and I have as well tell you, I have a wire for you.

I don't care a damn who your father is.

Get your wire, and come back for a drink.

The sensations of an accident that had not really been desired.

Liam, the steward, was in the bar.

Basil had run to the spot.

A powerful gun, he struck him under his planes, and he was dead.

The steward, when he was about 1000 feet above the sea, was in the air.

But meanwhile his machine had gone down in clouds, till it landed on the deck.

The first thing he did was to land on land, there was a very old gentleman, who had been dead.

He had run to the spot.

He had run

## Sweat: Lavender

Lavender is as old as the hills. It is used in the Roman incense, in the Egyptian pyramids. The water was the favorite perfume of the Pharaohs. Chemically-prepared perfume is imported from the Continent because the natural lavender oil is not available. The oil of lavender is obtained by distilling the flowers. The oil of lavender is a salve, a tonic, a stimulant. It is a germ-killer. Water is a salve in oil of lavender. Lavender oil is used in perfumes, cosmetics, soaps, lotions, perfumed soaps, perfumed liniments, which, after starting for hours, will not lose their perfume. A certain proportion of distilled water, but a great quantity of the inferior kind, is added to the oil. The sweetest complexion of lavender is its pale blue color. The oil is a pale, thin, compact, viscous fluid, with a faint, aromatic odor.

Making small dolls bright by means of electricity may be tried in the New York Toy Fair. But it is not safe to ride to have worked satisfactorily to be satisfied if the recent report is correct. The manufacturers of dolls are experimenting with their children's dolls. The dolls are now made of celluloid. They are now done by electricity, operation is enough energy in the cell.

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1912.

**Showery Weather**

The weather of the last ten days has been rather an unusual one for the season, having been cold and showery. Nevertheless, the farmers have been snatching every available opportunity to get their work done.

A large percentage of the spring wheat is now cut, and the rest is about ready. The barley, however, is still green and wheat is not yet all cut now. Promises to be a good crop this year, but there has not been much cutting done yet.

On the prairie, however, there are a considerable number of green oats still to be seen in different parts of the district.

Potatoes and other vegetable crops are exceptionally good this year.

A spell of clear weather would be very welcome at the present time, and would ensure all the grain being cut within the next two weeks.

**Council Meeting**

The regular meeting of Strathmore Town Council was held on Tuesday evening, Mayor Lambert presiding, and Councillors present were Messrs. Brown, Berry, Bremer and Givins.

The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted, and a number of accounts read and referred to the Finance Committee.

CONSTABLE HOLMES  
REIGNS

A letter was read from Constable Holmes intimating his resignation, to take effect at the end of September. The resignation was accepted.

It was agreed that the Secretary should be asked to report his statement for the position of Town Constable, duties to commence on October 1.

**ASSESSMENTS FOR 1912**

Rates of taxation for 1912-1913 were struck as follows: 10 mills for school purposes, 20 mills for town purposes, and 1 mill for debt purposes.

The school estimates are as follows:

Teachers' Salaries 2,000.00  
Schools' Salaries 180.00  
Sanitor's Salary 300.00

Debenture Payments 20,000.00

Local Payment 400.00

Stationery 125.00  
Fuel 450.00

Office Rent 60.00

Emergencies 250.00

Total 6,880.00

Government Grants (Approximate)

300,000.00

Collectable Arrears 1,600.00

Amount required \$ 2,100.00

TOWN ESTIMATES \$ 440.00

License and Police Committee expended 450.00  
estimate 350.00

Finance Committee expended 544.00  
estimate 670.00

Legislative Committee expended 148.00  
estimate 100.00

Public Health expended 248.00  
estimate 150.00

Public Works expended 59.00

Property Committee expended 431.00  
estimate 360.15

Fire and Light Committee expended 248.70

Total required for current expenses 449.85

—A motion was passed instructing the Secretary to have the tax notes also show a five per cent discount on all taxes paid within one month of the issuing of the tax notices.

**THE SIDEWALKS**

With regard to the delay in the gravel work, Mr. May, Lumberman, said that the Council were doing all in their power to get the gravel forward. Seven cars were said to be on the way, and should arrive any day now.

**Big Elevator Transfer**

WILL MAKE CALGARY GRAIN MARKET

Sir Max Aitken, M.P., with a number of English associates, and R. B. Bennett, K.C., M.P., have purchased from Messrs. Beisker, Davidson & Strong, the owners of the Alberta Pacific Elevator Co., Ltd., the West Coast Grain Co., Ltd., and the terminal of the Globe Elevator Co., Ltd., some eighty elevators in all.

The purchasers propose making a considerable increase in the number of elevators, and in their advertising campaign of construction, endeavor to concentrate in Calgary, so far as possible, the west bound grain traffic, and to have a grain terminal there to be opened

by the Panama canal.

A total elevator capacity of practically 3,000,000 bushels is proposed, and as the official announcement says, plans are laid for increasing this capacity.

The new terminal of the elevators involved in the transaction is the terminal elevator of the Globe Elevator Company, Ltd., in Calgary, with a total capacity of 400,000 bushels.

ALL OTHERS ARE COUNTRY ELEVATORS.

All the other elevators involved, with one exception, are located in the surrounding Alberta prairie points throughout the country districts.

The one exception is the elevator of the Alberta Pacific Elevator Company, Ltd., in Medicine Hat, Saskatchewan.

All of the country elevators are practically of the same standard capacity, and the total capacity of all these country elevators is approximately 2,500,000 bushels.

The Alberta Pacific Elevator Company has an elevator in Lethbridge with a capacity of 100,000 bushels, built less than three years ago, and is up-to-date in every respect.

One important effect of the new company will be to make Calgary instead of Winnipeg the central market for Alberta grain with the opening of the Panama Canal. At present grain is shipped from Strathmore to the local elevators at Winnipeg, with less than 100,000 bushels sent to Winnipeg, which amounts to from fifteen to twenty cents a bushel.

Strathmore will be exceedingly popular when grain is sent to the central market for Alberta, as the distance is only 35 miles, as against over 800 miles to Winnipeg.

Sir R. B. Bennett, K.C., M.P., who is one of the leading figures in the new company, is the representative for this district in the Dominion House.

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Strathmore Railway

Time Table

Taking effect June 3, 1912.

TRAIN NO. 41—MORRIS JAY LOCAL  
Going West, 2:25 P.M.

TRAIN NO. 45—MEDICINE HAT LOCAL  
Going West, 11:15 A.M.

TRAIN NO. 3—VANCOUVER EXPRESS

Going West, 10:30 A.M.

TRAIN NO. 4—VANCOUVER EXPRESS

Going East, 12:35 P.M.

TRAIN NO. 51—MEDICINE HAT LOCAL  
Going East, 1:30, 18:35.

TRAIN NO. 62—MORRIS JAY LOCAL  
Going East, 24:35.

TRAIN NO. 1—MORRIS JAY LOCAL  
Going East, 24:55.

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## Boys and Girls May Exhibit

SEVEN CLASSES FOR JUVENILES AT DRY-FARMED EXPOSITION

The growth of boys' and girls' clubs, the interest in the success of many in recent grass and grain contests, and the stimulus that liberal premiums or displays offer to the youngsters, has led the exposition committee of the International Dry-Farmed Products Exposition to be held at Lethbridge Oct. 19-26th news to arrange for seven classes with which they may enter.

In addition the board of control will award a special award to any under 15 years who exhibits the best grasses and foraging samples, the best vegetables and best fruit (green and ripe) the best sheaf of grain, the best threshed grain and the best cotton.

## The Stampede

A number of local people took advantage of the Labor Day holiday on Monday to visit the big Stampede Celebration in Calgary, and were rewarded with a spectacular, absolutely unique exhibition of the north-west. We do not intend to go into the details of the show, as it has been fully covered by the dailies.

Several people connected with Strathmore took part in the big parade on Monday, including Bud McCarty, an old Pendleton, and now farming at Strathmore, was one of the members of the Pendleton "Lads" and "Rough-Ups" Band. Mr. W. G. Knott, the cowboy connection, and Mr. Jones, C.P.R. surveyor, who is a familiar figure in the town, had a prominent place among the old-timers, driving an old-time survey cart. Mr. Jack Waddy, formerly real estate agent, now Indian agent at Morley, was in charge of the Morley Indians at the parade.

Trains to and from Calgary were crowded, and the one supposed to leave Calgary for the east at midnight, was delayed two hours, and two a.m. having been delayed with many extra coaches having to be added.

We note that "Professor" W. G. Knyett, the New Zealand horse breeder, who has travelled the world, and the Calgary Stampede is giving horse-training exhibitions during the Stampede. Another boost for Strathmore!

## THE CHURCHES

### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

STRATHMORE.

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### CATHOLIC CHURCH

STRATHMORE DISTRICT.

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At the Dutch Colony, first and third Sunday, at 8:30 a.m. second Sunday, at 10:30 a.m.

At Cheddle, fourth Sunday, at 10:30 a.m. Father Lajat, O.S.B.

### METHODIST CHURCH

STRATHMORE.

Sunday, Sept. 8th, 11 a.m., pasture, 12 noon Sunday school, 7:30 p.m. Mr. H. G. McNeil.

Orange Valley, 2 p.m., Sunday school, 3 p.m. Mr. H. G. McNeil, preaching service, pastor.

Nightingale, 2 p.m., Union Sunday school, 3 p.m. Mr. H. G. McNeil.

Booth's Schoolhouse, 2 p.m., Union Sunday school, 3 p.m. Mr. H. G. McNeil.

Winnipeg, 2 p.m., Union Sunday school, 3 p.m. Mr. H. G. McNeil.

Cheddle, 7:30 p.m. preaching service, pastor.

Rev. L. E. MATTHEWS, Pastor.

SKANDINAVIAN LUTHERAN CHURCH

Skandinavian services in the Anglican Church on Sunday, Sept. 8th at 2 o'clock.

All who are interested will please note that the time for the services has been changed from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Frank J. Clark on Thursday, Sept. 12 at 2 o'clock.

ANST VAHLER, Pastor.

## STRONG MAN OF ITALY'S ARMY



## Farmers' Union Meet

It says much for the interest of the farmers in the affairs of the local Union that there was such a good attendance at Saturday's meeting. Many of them were in the midst of harvest and could not come to take part in the Union discussions.

Under the presidency of Mr. Harry S. Sennett, who is an old chairman, and known to make the most of the time at the disposal of the meeting, a number of important subjects were discussed and action taken at the meeting adjourned within our time.

### LARGER LOADING PLATEFORM WANTED

The chairman stated that as reported at the last meeting, he had written to Mr. F. R. Reid, manager of a large loading platform at Strathmore, and had received no reply. Since then he had received a telegram from the manager from the Company. They might want a platform very badly this year, if they had a lot of frosty grain, though he hoped they would not.

A motion was passed and carried that the chairman write to the Commissioner of Agriculture at Port Arthur and state that the platform at Strathmore was inadequate to handle the grain which would be shipped west to the east this year, and asking the Commission to at once take steps to have it enlarged. This motion met with the approval of the meeting.

### CARS FOR LARGE

Mr. Weyers said that thoughts they ought also to write to the grain commissioners regarding the size of cars wanted to handle the grain from this district. There were times when the farmers did not care to make as large a shipment as 40,000 lbs, but the only cars provided were 50,000 lbs. of capacity, and the farmers had no option but to take the 60,000 lbs. cars when they wanted the smaller ones with a capacity of 40,000 lbs. They had to pay for the extra car when they used the whole of the room or not.

It was agreed to call the attention of the grain commission to this point.

### GRIEVANCES RE GRADING GRAIN

Mr. Wm. Goffier claimed that farmers not all that they should be willing to do to get a good grade of grain at Winnipeg. He had heard that a lot of grain he shipped to him at 45¢ a bushel, but when it came to Winnipeg, he was sent to him that he could only get 35¢ a bushel for it. The farmer did not know what price he had got for his grain when it was shipped, he was completely at the mercy of the commission agents at Winnipeg. He thought the farmers in this district should have an agent in Winnipeg to protect their interests, and prevent them being defrauded of the results of their labor.

One farmer had told him that he had been told by the agent at Winnipeg that his wheat was not good, and would not be shipped to him at Arthur. This farmer went down there and found his grain being loaded into a truck.

Several other farmers related that they had had trouble in regard to payment and grading of grain which they shipped.

The chairman said that he thought the best plan for every farmer in this district who had a specific grievance regarding the methods used by the commission agents and regarding grading and shaping to put his complaint in writing, and send it to Mr. C. E. Mundt. The complaint could then be sent to the Grain Commission, and the farmers would be given an opportunity to make their views known on the same.

Mr. Sorenson suggested that he thought the best plan for every farmer in this district who had a specific grievance regarding the methods used by the commission agents and regarding grading and shaping to put his complaint in writing, and send it to the secretary next meeting, September 14.

The president hoped that all the farmers who had grievances regarding shipping and the time to outline them in writing and send them in, so that these conditions could be set forth, and perhaps remedied.

### HARVEST HELP WANTED

From the remarks of several of the farmers present, it appeared that the harvest was not to be good this year, and it was agreed that all the farmers advertising should list their names with Mr. C. E. Mundt, secretary of Strathmore Board of Trade.

This year, a piece of a supply of men had already been sent and taken up by the farmers.

Several communications were held over, and the meeting adjourned.

## MAC'S BARBER SHOP

### NEXT HUB POOL ROOM

Go with the bunch to Mac's place, for a first class Haircut and shave.

The best in the west. Try us.

A. G. McMAHAN

## A Few Good Lines

During this week we shall offer the following very special lines, which will mean a money saving opportunity to you

15c and 18c

### WAISTINGS

For 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ c per yard

15c and 18c

### FLANNELETTES

For 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ c

10c to 25c

### VAL. LACES

4c yard

8 x 4 Tapestry

### TABLE COVERS

For 95c

### Extra Value All Linen

### GLASS TOWELLING

10c yd

### Men's Heavy Grey SOCKS

6 Pairs for \$1.00

### A Snap. Men's SHEEP-LINED COATS

\$5.00

### BOYS' SHEEP-LINED COATS

\$3.75

## THE STRATHMORE TRADING COMPANY

### "THE HOUSE OF QUALITY"

### GET THE HABIT

### "THE HOME"

## WANTED IMMEDIATELY

Men and women required to sell fruit and ornamental trees, flowering shrubs, small fruit bushes, seed, etc.

We sell only varieties recommended by Experimental Farms. Offer free, and no commission.

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